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 Masafumi KUBOTA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 9822  
 Application No.: 10/662,288 : Group Art Unit: 2818  
 Filed: September 16, 2003 : Examiner: Dang, Phuc T.

For: METHOD FOR FABRICATING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☐ Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	32	20	12	\$50.00 =	\$600.00
Independent Claims	4	3	1	\$200.00 =	\$200.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
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Total of Above Calculations					\$800.00

- ☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$800.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 5, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire February 5, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: